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Table 1: Economy					
		2004	2005	2006	2007
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter					
Unemployed persons	no	307	310	322	275
Unemployment rate	%	2.8	2.2	2.2	1.9
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June					
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	2 080	2 461
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	14.7	20.6
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	7 090	8 366
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	10 838	10 788
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	484.4	522.0
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	44 494	48 615
Net tax	\$m	-	-	111.6	114.7
Average net tax	\$	-	-	10 150	10 679
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	23	22
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	13 024	13 199
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	367.2	345.7
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	36 461	41 115
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June					
Age Pension - Continual	no	1 256	1 291	1 296	1 352
Age Pension - DVA	no	4	4	4	56
Care Payment	no	63	69	67	71
Disability Support Pension	no	470	489	494	467
Age-related Allowance	no	266	254	245	267
Widow's Payment - Single	no	419	388	352	325
Youth Allowances	no	334	354	276	247
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	51.0	51.0	53.5	56.2
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June					
Wage and salary earners	no	10 461	10 645	10 705	10 943
Wage and salary income	\$m	381.6	381.6	404.6	465.1
Average wage and salary income	\$	36 460	35 281	40 507	42 504
Own unincorporated business earners	no	1 462	1 477	1 477	1 460
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	23.1	23.8	24.2	25.7
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	16 003	16 095	16 364	17 395
Investment earners	no	7 136	7 652	7 698	7 865
Investment income	\$m	18.6	23.8	23.6	25.3
Average investment income	\$	2 768	2 976	3 167	4 205
Superannuation and annuity earners	no	749	810	856	920
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	13.4	15.2	17.1	18.9
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	17 634	18 745	20 015	21 541
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	1 443	1 472	1 517	1 626
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	2.2	2.2	2.3	3.0
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 653	1 476	1 666	1 826
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	443.1	471.4	507.6	547.1
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June					
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	975	1 007	977	962
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	1 369	1 358	1 344	1 304
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	1 227	1 250	1 205	1 204
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	1 012	1 016	1 023	1 040
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	694	739	760	767
Males - 65 years and over	no	95	107	136	150
Males - Total	no	5 372	5 481	5 504	5 571
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	975	980	982	984
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	1 096	1 302	1 283	1 263
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	1 150	1 191	1 232	1 265
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	1 080	1 057	1 085	1 101
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	558	577	608	616
Females - 65 years and over	no	43	52	62	67
Females - Total	no	5 000	5 165	5 260	5 370
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	1 948	1 987	1 959	1 946
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	2 665	2 656	2 627	2 567
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	2 387	2 440	2 437	2 468
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	2 092	2 072	2 088	2 143
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	1 252	1 316	1 368	1 407
Persons - 65 years and over	no	138	159	198	217
Persons - Total	no	10 462	10 646	10 764	10 941
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June					
Managers and Administrators	no	752	811	861	844
Professionals	no	2 025	2 035	2 181	2 252
Associate Professionals	no	741	767	823	869
Technicians and Related Workers	no	659	626	626	642
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	524	509	507	506
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	2 145	2 207	2 294	2 269
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no	415	424	394	431
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	1 042	1 029	1 023	1 013
Labourers and Related Workers	no	641	687	707	685
Not Stated	no	1 450	1 403	1 296	1 302
Total wage and salary earners	no	10 464	10 647	10 764	10 942
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June					
Net worth per household	\$1000	425.1	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	3 759.4	-	-	-
Equivalent net worth	\$1000	248.9	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$1000	969.4	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	65.3	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	18.4	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing businesses	no	976	945	957	906
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no	327	363	393	452
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no	56	62	66	66
Total businesses	no	1 461	1 491	1 536	1 548
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	no	231	165	216	186
Employing business entries	no	87	86	90	79
Total business entries	no	318	231	306	264
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	no	225	264	186	163
Employing business exits	no	9	9	51	63
Total business exits	no	234	273	237	226
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	no	33	36	36	39
Mining	no	0	0	3	6
Manufacturing	no	106	99	106	103
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	0	0	0
Construction	no	367	363	360	367
Retail trade	no	60	60	57	61
Hotel trade	no	147	150	162	171
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no	12	12	16	16
Transport and storage	no	108	111	90	92
Communication services	no	27	33	39	33
Finance and insurance	no	14	60	87	61
Property and business services	no	372	369	366	414
Education	no	27	30	30	27
Health and community services	no	63	63	67	64
Cultural and recreational services	no	39	39	33	24
Personal and other services	no	65	62	65	62
Total businesses	no	1 461	1 491	1 536	1 548



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**Table 2: Population and People**

		2004	2005
<b>ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June</b>			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	834	859
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	797	797
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	697	695
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	738	735
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	727	676
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	842	835
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	992	1 000
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	825	829
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	758	781
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	660	654
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	690	660
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	791	761
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	537	571
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	253	289
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	144	137
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	101	103
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	61	61
Males - 85 years and over	no.	36	41
Males - Total	no.	10 483	10 484
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	781	798
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	750	733
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	689	704
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	685	671
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	710	679
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	909	875
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 025	1 031
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	832	882
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	816	811
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	716	678
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	808	772
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	851	847
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	447	512
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	227	240
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	167	172
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	115	123
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	92	82
Females - 85 years and over	no.	88	99
Females - Total	no.	10 708	10 709
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 615	1 657
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 547	1 530
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 386	1 399

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 423	1 406
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 437	1 355
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 751	1 710
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 017	2 031
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 657	1 711
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 574	1 592
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 376	1 332
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 498	1 432
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 642	1 608
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	984	1 083
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	480	529
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	311	309
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	216	226
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	153	143
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	124	140
Persons - Total	no.	21 191	21 193

#### **POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June**

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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#### **ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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#### **OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006**

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

#### **SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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#### **LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer**

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

#### **OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006**

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

#### **HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

#### **FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

#### **INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006**

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006**

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006**

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

#### **UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

#### **ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006**

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

#### **BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December**

Births	no.	341	367
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.9	1.9
Deaths	no.	67	57
Standardised death rate	rate	5.9	5.1

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2006	2007	2008
844	868	869
817	790	752
680	707	722
728	689	681
664	671	671
806	792	788
995	979	958
885	916	923
758	748	756
656	681	694
645	634	616
739	672	637
582	626	639
325	365	406
136	162	181
107	111	118
64	63	63
44	45	46
10 475	10 519	10 520
830	839	849
709	682	671
696	716	749
666	682	662
687	660	650
853	884	890
974	953	958
930	970	1 010
797	775	736
680	703	743
726	702	654
842	800	759
533	589	655
271	328	363
167	169	176
130	133	133
83	86	87
109	104	103
10 683	10 775	10 848
1 674	1 707	1 718
1 526	1 472	1 423
1 376	1 423	1 471

1 394	1 371	1 343
1 351	1 331	1 321
1 659	1 676	1 678
1 969	1 932	1 916
1 815	1 886	1 933
1 555	1 523	1 492
1 336	1 384	1 437
1 371	1 336	1 270
1 581	1 472	1 396
1 115	1 215	1 294
596	693	769
303	331	357
237	244	251
147	149	150
153	149	149
21 158	21 294	21 368

-	-	1 235.1
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1.1	-	-
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3.7	-	-
6.5	-	-
0.9	-	-
0.2	-	-
1.0	-	-
0.5	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.6	-	-
0.8	-	-
14.5	-	-

3.9	-	-
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2.4	-	-
2.0	-	-
14.0	-	-
9.2	-	-
19.1	-	-
6.8	-	-
53.5	-	-

10.0	-	-
21.6	-	-
15.3	-	-
9.6	-	-
19.5	-	-
9.8	-	-



5.0	-	-
7.7	-	-
1.4	-	-
1 019	-	-
231	-	-
5 875	-	-
7 125	-	-
2 430	-	-
537	-	-
2 121	-	-
528	-	-
251	-	-
95	-	-
5 962	-	-
16 752	-	-
2 752	-	-
10 797	-	-
6 914	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
99.6	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.4	-	-
21.1	-	-
25.5	-	-
9.5	-	-
1.7	-	-
11.0	-	-
53.2	-	-
24.5	-	-
0.3	-	-
78.0	-	-
347	414	327

2.0	2.1	2.0
67	78	102
4.9	5.0	6.0



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**Table 3: Industry**

		2004	2005
<b>BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June</b>			
Private sector houses	no.	44	18
Total dwelling units	no.	64	32
Value of private sector houses	\$m	8.9	4.0
Value of new residential building	\$m	12.7	7.1
Value of total residential building	\$m	15.8	11.1
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	1.7	2.0
Value of total building	\$m	17.5	13.1
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	202.3	224.7
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March</b>			
<b>Number by type of vehicle</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	10 827	11 001
Campervans	no.	19	21
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 440	1 507
Light rigid trucks	no.	47	50
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	83	79
Articulated trucks	no.	13	14
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	2	2
Buses	no.	20	22
Motorcycles	no.	423	467
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	12 873	13 164
<b>Rate per 1,000 population</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	511	519
Campervans	no.	1	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	68	71
Light rigid trucks	no.	2	2
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	4	4
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	0
Buses	no.	1	1
Motorcycles	no.	20	22
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	607	621
<b>Age of vehicle</b>			
Less than 5 years old	no.	3 105	3 365
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	3 702	3 764
10 years or older	no.	6 053	6 019
<b>Number by type of fuel</b>			
Petrol	no.	11 967	12 202

Diesel	no.	737	797
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	169	165

**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION \* - year ended 30 June**

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

**AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES \* - year ended 30 June**

**Total area**

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

**Total number**

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

\* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
16	41	40
28	41	63
4.0	10.1	10.0
6.0	10.1	16.3
10.5	14.3	21.1
2.1	4.7	2.2
12.6	19.0	23.3
248.2	247.1	249.1
11 173	11 314	11 461
21	25	26
1 564	1 614	1 723
52	51	51
76	76	72
10	9	8
2	4	4
25	29	28
544	604	656
13 467	13 727	14 029
528	531	536
1	1	1
74	76	81
2	2	2
4	4	3
0	0	0
0	0	0
1	1	1
26	28	31
636	645	657
3 626	3 829	3 974
3 857	3 957	3 946
5 958	5 892	6 050
12 441	12 621	12 800

846	928	1 044
180	178	186

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na	-	-

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**Table 4: Environment and Energy**

		2004	2005
<b>LAND AREA</b>			
Land area	km2	-	-
<b>WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS</b>			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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